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For : AN IN VIVO SCREEN USING CHEMICAL INDUCERS OF DIMERIZATION

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been previously established.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

This is a Second Preliminary Amendment to the above-identified application being filed after the filing of the November 10, 2003 Preliminary Amendment but before the issuance of a first Office Action.

Please make the following amendments to the subject application prior to the examination thereof: